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TAGS: SOPN, KS, US
SUBJECT: KOREAN MEDIA ON PARK TONG SON CASE

REF: SEOUL 0219 (DTG 110832Z JAN 78)

KOREAN PRESS JANUARY 12 FRONT-PAGED PAK TONG-SON VISIT TO
EMBASSY AND SIGNING OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING. PAK
REPORTEDLY TOLD PRESS "I AM CONVINCED NOW IS NOT THE TIME
FOR ME TO INSIST UPON EXERCISING MY INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS" AND
SAID HE HOPED WAY WAS NOW OPEN TO RESTORE TRADITIONAL TIES
WITH U.S. ARRIVAL OF PROSECUTOR KOTELLY AND SENATE COMMITTEE
STAFFER SWILLINGER ALSO RECEIVED PROMINENT COVERAGE, AS DID
POSSIBILITY OF USE OF POLYGRAPH. CHOSON ILBO NOTED THAT
ROOM IN JUSTICE MINISTRY PROPOSED FOR INTERROGATION OF PAK
STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION BY US SIDE. LITTLE FORMAL
COMMENTARY ALTHOUGH COLUMNISTS STRESSED UNCERTAINTY
OF POLYGRAPH TESTS.
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Message Attributes

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